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Flesher Named County Judge; Only Two File for Position

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Only two hats had been thrown into the ring for election as judge of Randall County by Wednesday morning following the appointment of W. J. "Bill" Flesher, former judge of the Amarillo Corporation Court, as county judge.

The position was vacated last Friday when the resignation of Roy Joe Stevens became effective.

Stevens had been county judge since January 1, 1953, but resigned after receiving unfavorable publicity during the recent probe into his private and business life by the House General Investigations Committee.

Ended Maneuvering

Appointment of Flesher, 76, ended a week of political maneuvering by the county commissioners in naming a new judge.

Flesher's appointment came after a parade of candidates applied for the job, many of whom said they would enter the Democratic primary for the post.

However, the only two persons to file for the judgeship of Randall County thus far have been Elmer Burnett, an appliance salesman for an Amarillo department store, and Carroll Brown, an Amarillo attorney.

Filing Ends Thursday

A special filing period was set up last week by the County Democratic Executive Committee after

W. J. FLESHER

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the resignation of Stevens was announced.

Candidates have until midnight Thursday, April 7, to file for the office. After filing, the candidates have until midnight Monday, April 11, to pay filing fees of $405.

The elected candidate would complete the unexpired term of Stevens, which has two years to run after this year.

Out of Retirement

Flesher has agreed to accept the job only until a Democratic candidate for the office is named—in the May 7 primary or the June 4 runoff election.

Flesher has been in semi-retirement since September 14, 1958, when he stepped down as corporate judge in Amarillo. Since then he has continued only a limited practice of law.

The new county judge came to Randall County January 2, 1909, and began practicing law with W. D. Scott, then county attorney. A year later he was made county attorney after Scott advanced to the judgeship.

Former District Attorney

In 1926, Flesher was elected district attorney, and he and Mrs. Flesher moved to Amarillo. Mrs. Flesher has served as justice of the peace in South Amarillo for the past 21 years.

After his term expired as district attorney, Flesher returned to private practice. His next public office came in 1957 when he was appointed corporate judge in Amarillo.

A former principal of Canyon High School, Flesher has taught school at Canyon, Rock Island, and Mason.

Motion by McCormick

Following Flesher's appointment Monday by commissioners, it was agreed that he would keep the county judge's office open from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. each day. Other county offices open at 8 a.m.

The motion to appoint Flesher judge came from B. E. "Bailie" McCormick, commissioner of precinct 1, with C. Y. Johnson, commissioner of precinct 4, seconding the motion.

Glenn Dowlen, commissioner of precinct 3, and Clarence Beckman, commissioner of precinct 2, voted affirmatively to make the appointment unanimous.

Persons Considered

Those Randall Countians who figured prominently in the appointment picture—some of whom did not apply for the job—were:

Burney Slack, former county judge now a deputy in the tax assessor-collector's office;

Gene McGlasson, Canyon attorney and former county attorney;

Elton Cox, Canyon attorney and assistant professor of business at West Texas State College;

Robert McClendon of Canyon, service representative for the Texas Employment Commission;

Jack J. Haimes of Amarillo, operator of Buffalo Drug in Canyon;

Elmer Burnett of Amarillo, who has filed for election to the judge's post;

Carroll Brown of Amarillo, an attorney who also has filed for election to the post;

Jerry Hopson, Amarillo attorney;

Frank P. Ponce, Amarillo real estate dealer;

Bob Poole, Amarillo feed store dealer;

Slade Bassett, employee of an Amarillo motor company;

J. E. McAvoy, Jr., of Amarillo, a candidate for the post of commissioner of precinct 1 in the May primary.

ELMER BURNETT

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Burnett Seeking Post of Judge

E. F. "Elmer" Burnett has announced his candidacy for judge of Randall County, subject to action of the Democratic primary.

Burnett, who lives at 4702 Fannin in Amarillo, is a former sheriff's deputy in Randall County. He served in the South Amarillo office of the sheriff's department for four years. He resigned in April, 1957, to sell life insurance.

At the present time, Burnett is an appliance salesman for a large department store in Amarillo.

Prior to serving with the Randall County sheriff's department, Burnett served four years and six months—from 1949 to 1952—as a sheriff's deputy in Dallam and Hartley Counties.

He has lived in Texas all his life and attended public schools in Hill County. He is married, has three children, and serves as an elder in the South Lawn Church of Christ.

Burnett said, "If elected, I intend to use all of my time for the county judge's job. I feel that I have a knowledge of the law in working with district courts, county courts, and justice of the peace courts and in studying the law in various cases.

"I feel that I have a knowledge of the law that can be used in the Randall County judge's office.

"It is my intention to see as many of you as possible before the election next month. However, I do not think this will be physically possible. So should I miss anyone, I take this means of soliciting your vote and influence in the coming primary election."

New Officials Elected For City, School Posts

Canyon voters have elected officers to serve on the city commission and the school board at elections held within the past week.

Elected mayor of Canyon Tuesday in a light vote was John P. Taylor, former city commissioner. Elected to serve with him as commissioners were Clarence Eugene Thompson and George H. Ritter. All polled 82 of the 83 votes cast in the election.

Jack Jennings, the election judge, received one write in vote.

Taylor succeeds Charles Donnell as mayor, while Thompson and Ritter replace Lowell Harrison and Taylor.

Other members of the city commission are Delbert Lowes and John Williams.

The new mayor and one new city commissioner, Thompson, were sworn in Tuesday night. Ritter, an assistant professor of government at West Texas State College, had to teach and was not able to attend the meeting. He will be sworn in at a later date.

In the school election, Mrs. Clay Cooper and Bob Wear eked by Riley Troth to take positions on the board of trustees.

Mrs. Cooper, an incumbent, polled 280 of the 377 votes cast to lead the field of three in the race for the two board vacancies.

Wear received 254 votes and Troth garnered 212 votes.

Mrs. Cooper was elected secretary of the board Tuesday night after the votes of the election were canvassed, and A. C. Haley, Jr., was reelected president of the board.

Wear, minister of the Central Church of Christ in Canyon, replaces Mrs. R. A. Neblett on the school board. He and Mrs. Cooper will serve three-year terms.

On the county school board, J. D. Barker garnered 218 votes for trustee-at-large. Precinct trustees elected include Marion Bruce, who received 43 votes in precinct 1; Charles Beckman, who got 45 votes in precinct 2; and E. R. "Dutch" Cleavinger, who garnered 10 votes in precinct 4.

New JC Officers Elected Saturday

New officers for the Canyon Junior Chamber of Commerce were elected Saturday and the date of the installation banquet set.

To be installed May 7 are John Carlile, president; J. D. Singleton, vice president; Clancy Cummings, secretary; Wayne Wirt, treasurer; Foy Langford, state director, and Doug Rittenberry and Richard Pruett, directors.

The V.F.W. Hall, north of the city, tentatively has been set as the installation banquet site.

City, County Sign New Fire Contract

City and county commissioners came to terms Friday and renewed the contract to share the expenses of fire fighting in the Canyon area for another year.

The move came after Mayor Charles Donnell had instructed the dispatcher in the sheriff's office, who sounds the alarm for fires, not to sound the alarm if the call came from outside the city limits of Canyon.

During the past year, 42 percent of the calls answered by the Canyon Fire Department were outside the city limits, according to Mayor Donnell.

Should Share Expense

It was the city's contention that the county should pay its pro-rata part of the expenses since so much of the time spent fighting fires by Canyon firemen is outside the city limits.

C. Y. Johnson, commissioner of precinct 4, contended that the price paid by the county was out of proportion to that being paid by the county to Happy and Amarillo, with which the county also has fire expense agreements.

Johnson said that the county pays only $25 a fire to Happy and Amarillo, while the cost in Canyon amounts to about $144 per fire.

Cost County $3,000

Total cost to the county for the Canyon Fire Department's work in answering calls outside the city limits was about $3,000, or 42 percent of the total cost of operating the department.

Mayor Donnell appeared before county commissioners March 25 and asked them to sign the contract for another year.

Johnson opposed the move, however, and the commissioners voted to extend the contract for one month until further negotiations could be held.

City commissioners turned thumbs down on the one-month extension, saying they did not want to operate the department on a city-county basis by the month because it would not prove economical.

The contract was finally adopted by the county after Glenn Dowlen, precinct 3 commissioner, moved the county accept it.

Johnson voted against the acceptance of the contract.

City commissioners signed the contract at their meeting Tuesday night.

Johnson also seemed to oppose the "pay" that Canyon firemen receive.

The fire chief and secretary get $10 per month for their duties, while the remainder get $1 per fire, plus having their minimum water and sewer bills paid by the city each month. The minimum water and sewer rates amount to $6 a month.

City Commissioner Delbert Lowes pointed out that the recently-employed full-time fireman would reduce the number of men answering grass fire calls, as well as keep the fire equipment in top operating condition.

Sweet, Cook Top County Spellers

Ronnie Sweet and Randy Cook outspelled 33 other spellers from Canyon Junior High School and Umbarger School to win the Randall County Spelling Bee last Saturday.

Ronnie, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Sweet, took first place in the senior division of the bee, while Randy, son of Dr. and Mrs. Hollis L. Cook, won top honors in the junior division.

Both attend Canyon Junior High School, where Ronnie is an eighth-grader and Randy is in the sixth grade.

Second place winners in the two categories were Linda Wieck, who attends Umbarger School, in the senior division and Shirley Gill, who attends Canyon Junior High, in the junior division.

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Other Canyon seventh and eighth graders in the senior division of the bee were Ann Fisher, Linda Knowles, Lynn Stevens, Thomas Wilson, Cynthia Taylor, and Patsy Thomas.

Senior division contestants from Umbarger School were Bernard Buecker, last year's county champion, Michael Raef, Marvin Batenhorst, Kenneth Friemel, Carol Gerber, and Suzy Raef.

Sixth graders from the Canyon school spelling in the junior division were Charolette Clark, Kathy Miller, Renee Owens, and Brenda Young.

Fifth grade spellers from Canyon included Margaret Ray, Rebecca Wright, Scott Downing, Katherine Jane Upshaw, Chris Kuykendall, Sharon Kerbel, Anita Ferguson, and Alan Demus.

Contestants from Umbarger School in the junior division were Dorothy Wieck, Mary Margaret Albracht, Jo Ann Haschke, Peggy Haschke, Yvonne Friemel, Kathleen Batenhorst, and Margaret Raef.

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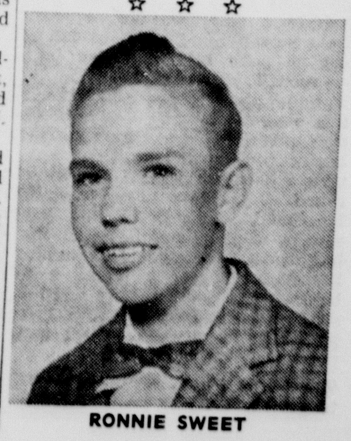

RONNIE SWEET

Around - - - - The Town

By DOROTHY HALEY

Mrs. A. F. Gilmer and son, Frank, and Mrs. Jane Lewis, Larry and Bonny of Albuquerque, N. M., and Mrs. Addie Saunders of Louisville, Ky., were weekend visitors in the W. H. Lewis home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cheyne of Chow Chilla, Calif., visited with relatives and friends in Canyon last week.

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Jackie Barnard spent last weekend in Spearman with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jones.

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Mrs. Alfred Bellah is spending two weeks in Glendale, Ariz., visiting her son, Max, and his family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Neal, Lonnie and Carolyn spent the weekend in Denver, Colo., visiting their daughter and family, the Gene Simpsons.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spencer visited relatives and friends at Alvord and Fort Worth last Saturday through Tuesday.

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Mrs. Alfred Woods, Mrs. Clyde Warwick, and Miss Ruth Cross attended the Tri-State Panhellenic meeting in Albuquerque, N. M. Dr. Jinny Lind Porter accompanied them to Albuquerque, where she visited with friends.

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Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Neblett visited over the weekend in Austin with their son, Charles Robert, and attended the Round-Up celebration.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. B. (Spike) Lowes and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Chandler visited in Lubbock Sunday.

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Guests in the D. P. Clark home Sunday were their daughter, Mrs Lee Wortham of Amarillo, C. G. Brasher of Plainview and his sons, Kenneth Brasher, who is stationed in Philadelphia, Pa., in the Navy, and Bob Brasher of Fort Hood and two friends of Kenneth's from California and Philadelphia.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Berry and family of Amarillo and Mrs. Evelyn Patterson and Debbie of Abernathy spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Berry.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams and daughter of Texline spent Friday night and Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Norman Stover, and her family.

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Mrs. Lang Hunter spent the weekend in Oklahoma City, Okla., visiting friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Northcutt of Seneca, N. M., visited with their daughter, Mrs. Roy Henderson, over the weekend.

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Mrs. Roger Glandon and children of Austin visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Glenn, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Glenn, over the weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Evans spent

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FFA Crops Team Wins First Place

The crops judging team of the Canyon High School chapter of Future Farmers of America placed first in a district FFA contest held at West Texas State College Saturday.

Members of the team are Charles Evers, David Yarbrough, Robert Ham, and Elo Myers. Yarbrough was second high in individual competition, and Evers was third.

Also competing were the poultry judging team, which placed third in overall competition, the livestock judging team, and the dairy cattle judging team.

On the poultry team are Robert Irvine, Gary Carver, Douglas Bond, and Harley Wesley. Carver was third high in individual competition.

Placing third in the Amarillo district, the livestock team is composed of George Loudder, Jim Davis, Walton Bagley, and Billy Martin. The dairy cattle team is made up of Joe Triplett, Jerry Ham, Wesley Bourn, and Mike Moore.

All four teams, plus two others, will compete in area FFA contests at Texas Tech in Lubbock April 23.

Drive on Rabies Set for Canyon

A concerted drive to have pets inoculated against rabies will be conducted this weekend in Canyon and several other Panhandle cities.

Dr. J. L. Markham, local veterinarian, said he would inoculate pets against rabies for $2 instead of the regular $3 charge. This includes the tag required by law.

Residents can take pets to Dr. Markham's clinic on the Hereford highway from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday, and from 4 to 9 p.m. Monday.

Dr. Markham said that Canyon had not had a rabies case in the past year, but some have been reported in Amarillo.

"We've been real, real lucky that we haven't had any trouble with rabies here," he said.

District Interscholastic Tests Slated Saturday at School

District Interscholastic League competition for class 1-AA schools will be held Friday and Saturday, with literary events being held at Canyon High School and athletic contests at Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo.

Joe A. Gibson, superintendent of Canyon schools, is general director of the events, which are expected to draw about 100 area high school students and sponsors to Canyon.

List of Literary Events

Literary contests include debate, declamation, slide rule, typewriting, spelling, ready writing, poetry reading, shorthand, number sense, and extemporaneous speaking.

Winners will be eligible to compete in regional contests, to be held in Odessa April 21-23. They will be awarded medals in the district contests.

Canyon Entries

Contests, directors, and Canyon entries are boys debate, Mrs. Margaret Foster, Bill Cornette and Bill Callarman; girls debate, Mrs. Foster, Virginia Crounse and Sarah Ragle; senior girl declamation, Mrs. A. K. Knott, Peggy Sue Hales.

Junior girl declamation, Mrs. Knott, Lynne Larson; senior declamation, Mrs. Knott, Ted Abbott; junior boy declamation, Mrs. Knott, Harry Lisle.

Typewriting, Mrs. Betty Brown, Dorothy Higdon, Carolyn Glazner, Mary Barger, and Josephine Hubbard; spelling, Mrs. Bill Lee, Deanna Stocker and Frances Stocker; ready writers, Mrs. Joe Gibson, Robert Blythe and Sally White.

More Local Entries

Senior girl poetry reading, Mrs. T. E. Beard, Barbara Whiteley; senior boys poetry reading, Mrs. Beard, Douglas Bond; shorthand, Mrs. Betty Brown, director, Sandra Barger and Billie Miller.

Number sense, Ray C. Wells, Peggy Sue Hales, and Velda Jean Oberst; boys extemporaneous speaking, Mrs. Bettye Knighton, Kerry Knorpp; and girls extemporaneous speaking, Mrs. Knighton, Pat Haley.

Dee Walker, director of athletics for Amarillo public schools, will be in charge of the district track and field events at Dick Bivins stadium in Amarillo. Preliminaries will be run Friday, and finals will be held on Saturday.

Athletic Events

Events and Canyon entries are 180-yard high hurdles, Wayne Rutherford; 100-yard dash, Tommy Henderson, Jerry Richardson, and Lew Johnson; one-mile run, Jerry Smyrl and Robert Ray Henry;

180-yard low hurdles, Chuck Nester, Rutherford, and Richard Green; 220-yard dash, Nester, Johnson, and Davis Price; 440-yard dash, Jerry Richardson, George Prichard, and Jimmie Dale Killingsworth; 880-yard run, Doug Ward and Eugene Howard;

One-mile run, Prichard, Killingsworth, Ronnie Harris, and Rutherford; 440-yard run, Richardson, Henderson, Johnson, and Nester; pole vault, Rutherford; running broad jump, Richardson, Nester, and Henderson.

Running high jump, Killingsworth; 12-pound shot put, Bill Callarman and Harris; discus throw, Callarman.

Tennis Contests

Tennis events for boys and girls will be conducted Saturday at the West Texas State College tennis courts, with L. H. Brotherton as director of boys' tennis and Alice Brotherton as director of girls' events.

Canyon entries are Clark de Schweinitz, boys singles; Davis Price and Larry Holman, boys doubles; Kathy Hinger, girls singles; and Virginia Crounse and Bonnie Jo Whittington, with Linda Green and Marilyn Winn as alternates.

Schools competing in the events will be Canyon, Dalhart, Tulia, Friona, and Dimmitt.

CHS Cast Cops IL Play Contest

Placing all of its cast members on the all-star roster, Canyon High School's one-act play entry won the District 1-AA Interscholastic League contests Monday at West Texas State College.

Tennessee Williams' "The Glass Menagerie" was directed by Mrs. Lee Foster. Bill Cornette was named best actor. Ted Abbott, Carole Jones, and Judy Wheeler also placed on the all-star cast. William A. Moore, director of the Branding Iron Theatre, said it was extremely rare for an entire cast to be selected.

Tulia High School's "The Heiress" placed second, and "The Little Foxes" presented by Dimmitt High School was third.

Canyon High School's troupe was installed in the National Thespian Society Sunday in the Fine Arts Building by the society's founder, Dr. Earl W. Blank, chairman of the department of speech at Northeastern State College in Talequah, Okla. Dr. Blank was guest speaker and judged the plays presented by the five schools in District 1-AA. Dalhart and Friona were the other schools represented.

Mrs. McDowell's Services Slated

Doris Elisabeth McDowell, 21-year-old wife of Aubrey McDowell of 1808 Fifth Avenue, died at 2:30 a.m. Tuesday in Neblett Hospital after a short illness.

Funeral services are scheduled for 3 p.m. Wednesday at the Assembly of God Church of Canyon.

Mrs. McDowell had lived in Canyon 10 years and was a graduate of Canyon High School. She moved here from Denison and married Mr. McDowell on September 7, 1957. They have an infant son, Bobby Lee.

Mrs. McDowell had been a bookkeeper at the First National Bank for the past three years. She was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

Officiating at the services Wednesday will be Rev. A. J. Pettit, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, assisted by Rev. Mrs. A. J. Pettit.

Interment will be in Dreamland Cemetery, with LaGrone Funeral Chapel in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include the husband; the son; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude W. Cooper of Canyon; six sisters, Mrs. Jewel Hodge and Mrs. Wilma Jackson, both of Amarillo, and Mrs. Jimmy Waldrop, Sylvia Wall, Rachel Wall, and Beverly Cooper, all of Canyon, and three brothers, Ralph Cooper of Bennington, Okla., and Lohnnie Wall and Lee Cooper, both of Canyon.

Civil Defense School Scheduled

A civil defense school will be sponsored by the Randall County Home Demonstration Council beginning April 25, according to Mrs. Earl Reynolds.

The school, to be conducted by an accredited teacher from Amarillo, will continue on May 2, 9, and 16. Sessions will be two and one-half hours long. Site of the school has not yet been selected.

It will be open to the public.

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The Voters' Image

The country has seen many polls devoted to the coming battle for the presidency, and it will see a great many more before November rolls around.

The standard polls commonly pit potential candidates against each other, and ask who you'd vote for. A recent issue of *Life* magazine, however, presents an article based on an unusual and extremely interesting poll conducted by the firm of Daniel Yankelovich, Inc., specialists in motivation studies.

This poll was designed to find out what qualities the voters most want in a president, and to assess the various leading candidates in the light of what voters regard as their strengths and weaknesses.

To begin with, the interviewers found that the voters' rating of desired presidential qualities runs thus: Principle combined with ability to conciliate was emphasized by 69 percent of those queried; experience in foreign affairs by 61 percent; non-partisanship by 50 percent; decisiveness by 39 percent, and the "common touch" by 11 percent.

It is significant that experience in foreign affairs is first among specific skills. The *Life* article says, "To most people this means knowing enough to take a firm but prudent attitude toward the Soviet Union."

On the other side of the ledger, excessive personal ambition was listed as the least desirable of possible presidential attributes. Other undesirable qualities mentioned were partisanship, opportunism, immaturity, insincerity, weakness of character, and the like.

The poll goes on to describe what the voters think of the seven most likely candidates. Vice President Nixon comes closer than the others to the generally held presidential image. As of now, he is first choice of one of every three voters. But he is also the last choice of one of every four voters. People, it is clear, feel strongly about him, pro or con.

Senator Kennedy inspires an "extraodinarily warm and friendly" personal feeling among voters. He is not a man who arouses hostility. But, the article adds, "he rates lowest of all the candidates in experience, particularly in foreign affairs." And, if this poll is correct, there is more feeling against a Catholic in the presidency than is usually believed.

Adlai Stevenson, of course, is extremely well known, and is highly regarded for his experience and maturity. However, it seems his ". . . weaknesses are as pronounced as his assets."

Numbers of voters think him too much the scholar, rather than the leader. Many also feel that he lacks forcefulness. In sum, "More respected than the other candidates, he nonetheless produces some hesitancy, large or small, in almost every voter."

The remaining possible candidates touched on the poll, Governor Rockefeller and Senators Johnson, Humphrey, and Symington, all have one failing in common—they don't present clear-cut images. Many voters see them only fuzzily.

Beyond that, opinions of them are highly mixed. For instance, Senator Johnson is praised for his principles and his abilities as a conciliator, and criticized for being too politically minded.

Senator Humphrey has backers who see him as a fighting liberal, and opponents who think him too radical.

Senator Symington is neither liked nor disliked with any pronounced degree of intensity, and he is known least of all to the masses of voters.

Governor Rockefeller is well liked, but his wealth is both a liability and an asset.

All of the candidates, obviously, have traits and characteristics that help with some voters and hurt with others.

Life's article concludes: "This much is clear from our study: the Democrats have no chance whatever if they oppose such a clear image as Nixon's with a weak personality. But a strong Democratic personality—i. e., one whose national image closely coincides with the voters' image of an ideal president—has an excellent opportunity."

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A Heavy Burden

A report of the joint committee on reduction of nonessential federal expenditures reveals that the stockpiles of materials held by three agencies have a total cost value of $16,000,000,000.

The report is entirely factual but it is not difficult to read into the figures the implication that the huge figures might well be reduced, to the benefit of the taxpayer.

With one stockpile, or rather group of stockpiles, the public is fairly well familiar. These are the commodities held by the Department of Agriculture —$7,349,000,000 worth of them.

Included are wheat, cost $2,900,000,000; corn $2,200,000,000; cotton $1,300,000,000; grain sorghum $700,000,000, and other farm commodities.

The public wants these stockpiles reduced. Not only are they costly in themselves but inevitably there is deterioration and waste and the cost of storage reaches into huge sums.

The stockpiles with which the public is less familiar are those of strategic and critical materials held by the General Services Administration, and the civil defense stockpile.

The GSA has even more money tied up than the Department of Agriculture —$8,333,185,000, to be exact. Of this amount, no breakdown is given on $6,200,000,000 worth of strategic and critical materials—the information is classified.

The national stockpile act of 1946 met a real need in national defense. We must have on our own soil large reserves of strategic and critical materials. But can it not be that we are carrying this thing pretty far—that further purchases will only benefit the producers of metals at home and especially abroad, and not the American public which has to pay the bill?

Finally, there is a little item of $201,570,000 civil defense stockpiles, more than half of it medical bulk stocks. We may need every dollar of it. But who knows? *(Houston Chronicle)*

What Our Neighbors Say . . .

Scissor Snippings

Marvin Tomme in the Ralls Banner: If you haven't gotten one of those little government forms and done a slow burn, you will. Our public servant (tongue in cheek), the Secretary of Commerce, has probably already mailed you the little document. It's "Advance Census Report Form for the 1960 Census of Population and Housing," the contents of which are about as hilarious as the title. This little form with its rather stupid questions is to be filled out and held for a census worker, who will be a person hired at about $25 a day to poke his long nose into everyone's private family life. It is quite possible you will regard this little questionnaire as none of the government's cotton pickin' business, which it isn't. You may turn a deeper shade of red when asked if you mix races in your household, own a flush toilet, pay rent by week or month, use Llama butter, eat daisies, read communist literature or take a bath. Now before you resort to firing a broad side at the smiling pencil pusher poised to count your nose, and your money, examine the consequences of telling the government to go take a flying leap. The Supreme Court has never been called on to define the constitutionality of the questionnaire, but the law is that you must answer the questions to the best of your ability. You can't invoke the Fifth Amendment unless you're prepared to prove that by answering you are laying yourself liable to conviction of a crime, which you aren't likely to do. Failure to answer the questions on grounds they are none of the government's business will cost a mere 100 bucks and 60 days in the pokey, or both. A false answer is a crime equal to Benedict Arnold, with the small taxation of a $1,000 fine and not more than a year as guest of the state. I suggest you answer the questions the best you know how, smilingly hand them over to the census worker, then before he gets off your property give him a good sound thrashing. This will only cost you $20 for a fighting fine and give you the satisfaction of knowing at least one government employee got just desserts.

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Willard Jones in the Hamlin Herald: Isn't it funny? When the other fellow takes a long time to do something, he's slow. But when I take a long time to do something I'm thorough. When the other fellow doesn't do it, he's too lazy. But when I don't do it, I'm too busy. When the other fellow goes ahead and does something without being told, he's overstepping his bounds. But when I go ahead and do something without being told, that's initiative!

When the other fellow states his side of a question strongly, he's bullheaded. But when I state a side of a question strongly, I'm being firm. When the other fellow overlooks a few of the rules of etiquette, he's rude. But when I skip a few of the rules, I'm original. When the other fellow does something that pleases the boss, he's polishing the brass. But if I do something that pleases the boss that's cooperation. When the other fellow gets ahead he sure had the lucky breaks. But when I manage to get ahead, Man, hard work did that! Funny, isn't it—or is it!

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James Russell in the Belton Journal: My Polk County uncle says he is through fooling with alcohol now that it has broken up his home. He does not drink; the still in his attic exploded.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS

You Get to Know People Better When You Live in a Small Town

By BOYCE HOUSE

I'm a small-town guy. (Which is scarcely news to anyone who knows me.)

The pace of life is such in smaller communities that people have time to sit and visit — or at least stop long enough on the street for a little conversation.

For a year, I had an office in a building in Dallas. Every now and then, I'd ride in the elevator with another tenant. All I knew about him was his name and that he was an attorney. One day, his obituary appeared in the paper and there was the information that he had been the private secretary of Governor Colquitt and of Senator Culberson. What a wealth of political incidents was lost when he died! In a small town, I would have known his background and would have obtained some of those stories.

In one town where I used to live, there was an attorney who had served in the War with Spain. There was another lawyer who was so old that he had held county office as a Populist. The county judge had obtained a law license by taking a correspondence course. The county judge-at-law had graduated from Cumberland Law School in Lebanon, Tenn. The county attorney had played in the line for the University of Texas in a Thanksgiving Day victory over A. & M.

Then there was an oil man who, years before, had drilled on the famous 101 Ranch in Oklahoma; a justice of the peace who was a Confederate veteran; and a sturdy farmer who didn't look within 20 years of his age and had taken part in the last Indian fight in the county. The founder of the town had been a surveyor and had made surveys in far West Texas when one would do well to keep on the lookout for bands of redskins.

The sheriff was a former cowboy. The uncle of the football team's star player had once carried a bale of cotton on his back across a street. The owner of an electric shop had been a professional baseball pitcher. The proprietor of the confectionery, a naturalized citizen who was a native of Greece, had appeared as a "rustler" and as a deputy in Western pictures in "silent" days. Two brothers had a brother who was commander of the United States Marine Corps and their father was a Congressman. They were Quakers.

There was one man who had a hobby: It was killing rattlesnakes by hitting them with rocks. The driver of a laundry-wagon had a superb tenor voice and was the singing star of the annual Elks minstrels; and the quiet manager of the light company office would never have been suspected by a stranger of having a talent which made him a "riot" as a blackface comedian in that same show.

The manager of the gas company's office was struck by lightning and survived. An oil operator had been a career army man, having served in the Philippines, in China, on the Mexican border and, during World War I, in France. A doctor had owned a large sugar plantation in Mexico but one night bandits made an attack and burned his home down, so he and his family returned to the United States.

Interesting, weren't they? A really gifted writer could take almost any one of them and write a novel about him. Very likely, I rub elbows in the city with people just as interesting—if there were only the opportunity to find out.

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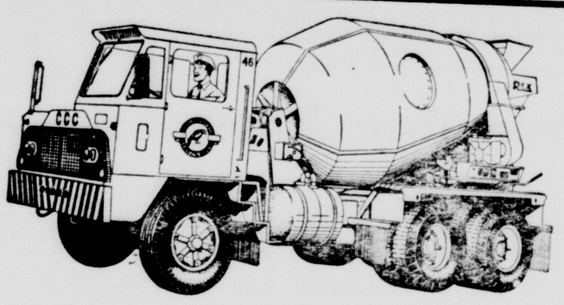
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Shower Honors Johny Burkett

A miscellaneous shower honoring Johny Burkett, bride-elect of Johnny Raymond, was held in the R. D. Wheelock home Saturday, March 2, from 3 until 5 p. m.

An arrangement of California driftwood entwined with pink roses, fern and bow knots and accented with streamers with "Johny and Johnny, April 15" formed the centerpiece for the table. Pink spiraled candles in crystal candelabra on a white princess Quaker lace cloth completed the setting.

Mrs. John Glover, Miss Wilma Burkett, sister of the bride-elect, and Miss Peggy Taylor of Friona, presided at the punch bowl.

Miss Shirley Miller registered the guests during the receiving hours. Background music was furnished by Miss Vanda Lou Latham, pianist.

Out of town guests registered were Mrs. T. A. Dooley, mother of the bridegroom-elect, and Mrs. Wayne Raymond of Sunray; Mrs. Tommie Weems, Mrs. J. B. Harlin and Mrs. Richard Hagar of Hereford; Mrs. Reuben Taylor and Miss Peggy Taylor of Friona; Miss Shirley Miller and Miss Chanda Miller of Amarillo; and Mrs. Gladys Dixon of Dumas.

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Wayside News

By INA KENNEDY

Mrs. Sammie Mayes, Mrs. Donnie Martin, Mrs. A. L. Clayton, Jr., and Mrs. Dewey Henry and children visited with Mrs. Willie Modisette Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Duncan were in Claude Tuesday morning on business.

Mrs. A. A. McNeill and Mrs. Era Baber, a sister-in-law, visited in the home of Mrs. McNeill's daughter and family, the Bill Sternenbergs, in Canyon on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rogers visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Love, near Hereford Tuesday.

Mrs. Buddie Tuggle and Sandy were in Plainview on Monday shopping.

Miss Charlotte Adams visited Mrs. A. L. Stevens and Mrs. Clifford Stevens Tuesday afternoon.

On the way down to Ballinger last week Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Newsom stopped off in Justiceburg and visited with former Wayside School teachers, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Franklin. We were happy to learn that they keep up with the Wayside news in this paper and a cheery "Hello" goes to them.

Gifford-Hill of Tulia recently completed an underground pipeline for Charles Kennedy.

Mrs. Robert Adams and Mrs. Willie Modisette visited in the Jimmy Adams home in Amarillo Wednesday.

Uncle John McGehee and Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes were Amarillo callers Friday morning.

Mrs. Jack Sutton and Mrs. Clifford Stevens were Canyon callers Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stockett are spending a few days in California.

Mrs. Carol Rogers and daughters, Kiska and Trena, of Canyon visited in Wayside Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stevens and Terry attended a farm sale in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes and Uncle John McGehee visited Mrs. Mary Jenkins and Merle in Canyon Monday.

Mrs. Cortez McNeill visited Mrs. A. J. Newsom Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams were Amarillo callers Friday.

There were 53 present for church services Sunday morning. Mr. J. R. Latham, a layman of Vigo Park Methodist Church, was speaker of the morning and a job well done.

Clifford Stevens was elected as a school trustee in the Happy school election Saturday.

Mrs. Cortez McNeill and Tim were Amarillo and Canyon callers Friday.

Mrs. Ira Schrib and Nancy were in Canyon Saturday seeing the dentist.

Mrs. Wiatt Heisler spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Stoddard, in Amarillo.

Jerry Don Stevens, Robert and Richard Kennedy attended the Amarillo Relays Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Scroggins, Elvin and Linda spent Sunday in Amarillo with their daughter, Miss Mary Scroggins, and celebrated Elvin, Jr.'s birthday.

Bobby Campbell of Claude, who was killed in an airplane crash near Claude Friday afternoon, was a nephew of Mrs. A. J. Newsom of this community.

Patsy Schrib spent the weekend at the Methodist Camp helping serve food to visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Schrib and Nancy visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Steward and family in Amarillo.

Stamp Club Dates On First Exhibition

The Golden Spread Stamp Club will hold its first philatelic exhibition Saturday and Sunday at the U. S. Army Reserve Center at 2801 Dunivan Circle in Amarillo.

Admission to the show is free, and will be open to the public from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday and from 2 to 5 p.m. on Sunday.

The show will be non-competitive and all area collectors have been invited to participate. Further information may be obtained from the show chairman, Roy Kerr, 817 Johnston Street in Amarillo.

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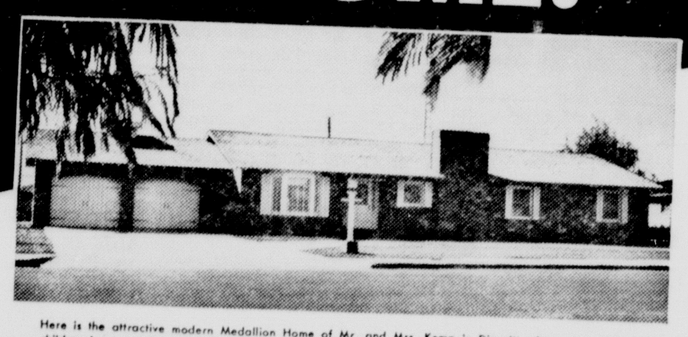
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Abbott Services Set for Friday

Graveside services for R. H. Abbott of Denver will be held Friday at Wayside Cemetery in Wayside.

Mr. Abbott's body is being shipped from Denver for the burial. He died Monday in a Denver hospital.

Officiating at the 2 p.m. services will be Rev. Walter Hadley, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Happy.

LaGrone Funeral Chapel has charge of arrangements.

Survivors include the wife, the former Lorine McGehee of Wayside; one son, R. H. Abbott, Jr., of Dumas; and one daughter, Alice of Ames, Iowa.

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Sherill Ann LaFollette, surgical
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Mrs. Robert C. Foster, Happy, medical
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Mrs. Lynn Wolfington, surgical
Kell Rome Wagner, Amarillo, medical

College Students

Mrs. Noal Clemmons, Hereford, medical
Curtis Stewart Johnson, medical
Deloras Ann Hauck, medical

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Olin B. Cosby of Amarillo, a girl, born April 2.
Mr. and Mrs. David Kent Gantz of Canyon, a girl, born April 3.
Mr. and Mrs. James Hansard of Canyon, a boy, born April 6.

Graveside Rites Held for Infant

Graveside services for Don Wayne Payne, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Travis W. Payne, Jr., of Happy, were held Friday at Dreamland Cemetery.

Rev. Floyd Haddock, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Happy, officiated. LaGrone Funeral Chapel had charge of arrangements.

Survivors include the parents; one sister, Launda Gail Payne; grandparents, Travis Payne, Sr., of Happy and Mrs. Gladys Dixon of Dumas; great grandparents, Mrs. E. R. Sprawls of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Payne of Tulia; Mrs. E. N. Cooke of Canyon, and Mrs. J. L. Dixon of Oklahoma; and great great grandparent, Mrs. Belle Hankins of Oklahoma.

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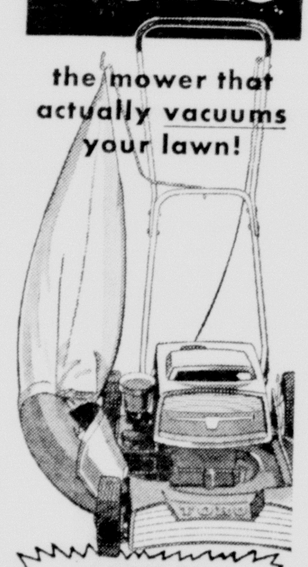

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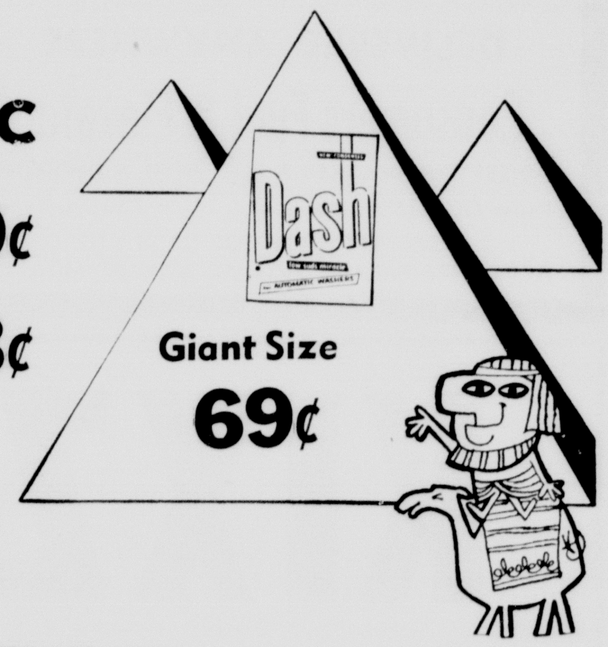

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Washington Report

The Gas Bill

By Representative Walter Rogers
18th Congressional District

A recent letter from a member of Congress to President Eisenhower and the president's reply have caused much discussion in the oil and gas industry. The letter from the congressman, in effect, asked the president what he intended to do about recommending legislation to free the gas producers in this country from utility-type regulation.

The president answered that he strongly favored the elimination of public utility-type regulation of producers of natural gas. This all sounded very good and built up some high hopes among the oil and gas people. However, the president went on further to say that if those in control of Congress gave some indication that they would join in his effort, he would support the legislation. This meant, in effect, that he did not intend to send to the leaders of Congress a recommendation as to the type of gas legislation he would sign.

The usual procedure has been for the president to send to Congress a draft of a bill that he would like to have enacted into law. Congress in turn considers the legislation. Such a recommendation by the President has a tremendous weight on all members of Congress, especially those of the same political party as the president. It is the consensus of many here that the only way a gas bill can be passed this session would be for the president to send up to Congress the type of bill that he would approve and recommend its passage.

We passed an excellent gas bill in 1956 which the president had said met with his approval. It did everything the president had said he was for and wanted. Many of the members of Congress were following the lead of the president in voting for that gas bill.

But, even with that help, the bill passed by a narrow margin of less than 10 votes in the House of Representatives. Without the help of the president at that time, it is very doubtful the bill would have passed. The reason is that many of the members in the Congress do not come from oil and gas districts and do not fully understand the problem involved. Their districts are made up primarily of consumers of gas and, consequently, their vote for a gas bill can cause them much criticism, because their constituents have been misled as to the purpose of such a bill.

The gas bill which passed in 1956 required a tremendous amount of work on the part of those of us who are familiar with the problem, and we felt sure that we had answered one bureaucratic problem. However, the president, to our utter dismay, vetoed the bill.

By so doing, he completely pulled the rug out from under those members of his own party who had followed his suggestions and recommendations. When he vetoed the bill he stated that it was a good bill, but that he was vetoing it because of some reported irregularities in outside activities while the bill was being considered by Congress.

In other words, he permitted an act of alleged corruption by some individual in the nation's capitol to influence him into vetoing a bill which he had recommended and thereby punished every honest gas producer in this country, including a good number of small independent operators who have helped to build the economy of the Panhandle of Texas and our general area.

Because the rug was pulled out from under them as outlined above, many members here feel that those members who found themselves landing on their head after following the president's recommendations, will be somewhat suspicious unless the president sends the bill to Congress setting forth his views on the subject and indicating that he does not intend to veto it.

I write this information because I want the people to know the truth and actual facts concerning these transactions. There is a lot more to this story, but I have written it as concisely as I could in order to keep within the confines of the space available.

A gas bill can pass Congress this year if the President of the United States will send the bill to Congress and request that it be enacted.

The State of South Carolina has sent some illustrious sons to the national Congress, and they have written splendid records. But there is one in particular who has an especial tie to the 18th Congressional District of Texas. One of the counties in the Panhandle bears the name of the great uncle of this fine representative.

I have hopes of being able to bring him home with me sometime so that he can have a look at this fine county and have further reason to be proud of his great uncle. The representative of whom I speak is Robert W. Hemphill of Chester, South Carolina. His great uncle was a Justice of the Supreme Court of the Republic of Texas and the First Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Texas, and subsequently served as U. S. Senator from Texas.

The county bearing his name is, of course, Hemphill County, the county seat of which is Canadian.

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LT. VERGIL WILLIAMS

Happy Officer Ends Course for Unit Commanders

Army National Guard Lt. Vergil L. Williams, 24, whose wife, Vergnel, lives in Happy, recently completed the officer basic course at The Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

The 10-week course was designed to familiarize newly-commissioned officers with the duties and responsibilities of infantry unit commanders.

Lieutenant Williams is a 1957 graduate of Happy High School. His father, Albert L. Williams, also lives in Happy. His mother, Mrs. Neola B. Pinkston, lives at 3031 55th St., Lubbock.

EASY TO SPOT

Unfortunately it's the shortcomings of men that seem to have the longest reach.

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Census Takers Easy to Spot

Householders will not have any difficulty identifying the takers of the 1960 Census of Population and Housing as they make their rounds in Canyon, crew leader J. B. "Bud" Hickman, pointed out.

Each census taker is provided with a red, white, and blue identification card to be worn on the lapel. This card bears the seal of the Department of Commerce and the words "Census Enumerator, Official Credential" are printed across its face.

Persons purporting to be census takers who do not have this identification card should be reported immediately to Hickman.

Census takers will be further identified by the portfolio containing their supplies. The portfolio is brown and bears the legend, "1960 Census of the United States," printed in green ink.

In the portfolio, the census taker carries his supplies of report forms, maps, pencils, and other tools of his trade.

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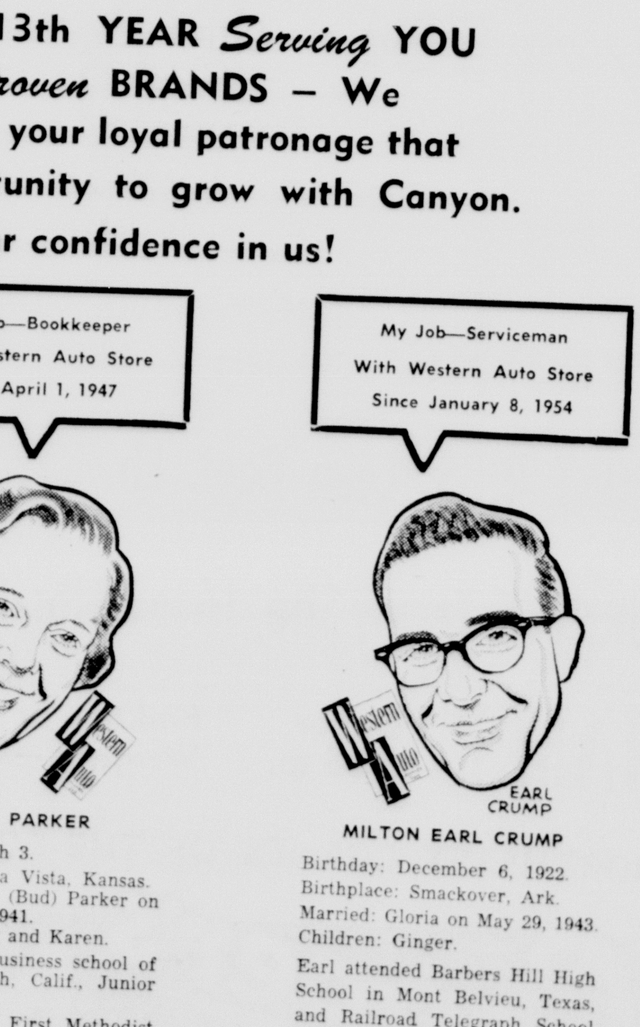

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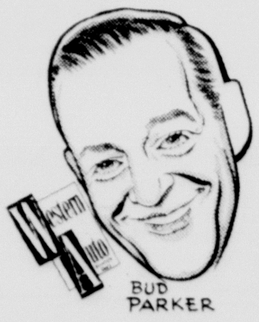

BUD PARKER

O. W. PARKER

Birthday: June 21.
Birthplace: Lamoni, Iowa.
Married: Irene on Nov. 9, 1941.
Children: Craig and Karen.
Member of the First Methodist Church, Shriner, Chamber of Commerce, Randall County Jr. Livestock Association, president of Randall District Boy Scouts, promoter of Little League, and former City Commissioner (1949-1953), and past president of the Rotary Club. Served in the Air Force during World War II.
Hobbies: Golf and sports.

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IRENE PARKER

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Birthday: March 3.
Birthplace: Alta Vista, Kansas.
Married: O. W. (Bud) Parker on November 9, 1941.
Children: Craig and Karen.
Attended the business school of the Long Beach, Calif., Junior College.
Member of the First Methodist Church, Grand Cross of Color of Rainbow Girls, Eastern Star, and den mother of Cub Scouts.
Hobbies: Swimming, bridge, and bowling.

My Job—Serviceman
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EARL CRUMP

MILTON EARL CRUMP

Birthday: December 6, 1922.
Birthplace: Smackover, Ark.
Married: Gloria on May 29, 1943.
Children: Ginger.
Earl attended Barbers Hill High School in Mont Belvieu, Texas, and Railroad Telegraph School in Houston, former Southern Pacific Railroad telegrapher; served as staff sergeant in Air Force as radio operator.
Member of First Baptist Church.

CHS Business Courses Helpful In Life and Work of Student

Ninety-seven students are taking the three business courses offered in Canyon High School which are not only good for preparing one for a life's career, but they can also be helpful in the everyday life and work of the student.

All junior and senior students are eligible for bookkeeping, typing and shorthand courses. The shorthand students must have had a year of typing. The other courses offered require no prerequisite.

Typing offers students the chance to learn the keyboard and helps them to build speed. It also enables them to type letters and various kinds of documents. In the business part of typing the students have practice in typing many kinds of business forms. Sixty-two students are enrolled in three sections.

Shorthand is divided into two phases. The first semester the students learn theory and the proper way to make the shorthand characters or symbols. The second semester is centered on the building of speed.

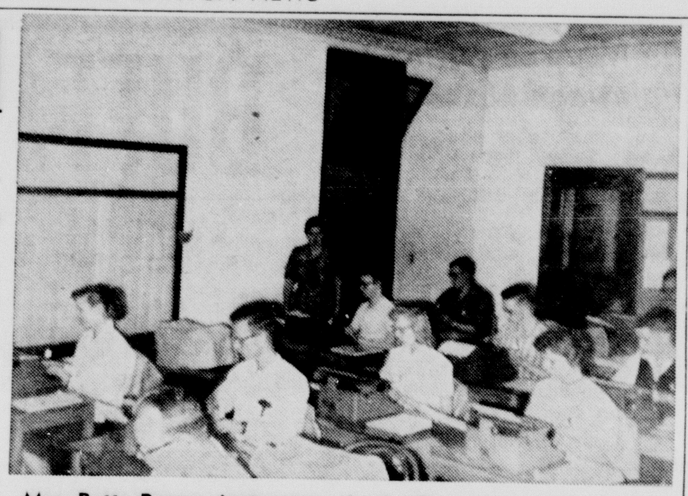
Some time later in the year the students will be given the assignment of taking down in shorthand a sermon, television or radio program, assembly speech or one of many other things. All 15 students are striving to be able to take dictation at the rate of 100 words per minute.

Every week each student takes a "take" at his own individual speed. This speed is determined by whether or not a student has completed three "takes" on one speed level. On completion of three "takes" he is ready to move on to a higher speed. Speeds range from 70 words per minute to 100 words per minute at the present time.

The bookkeeping course is designed to teach a student the basic principles of the subject. Each student must keep a practice set of books each semester. The set kept first semester is for a merchandising business, and the set for the second semester is for a partnership. The students learn to deal with invoices, purchase orders, statements, and checks.

To go along with this time of the year the bookkeeping students are studying income tax forms of various kinds.

Mrs. Brown, instructor, says, "Most students who apply themselves properly shouldn't encounter too much difficulty."



Mrs. Betty Brown, instructor, checks the progress of a typing student. Shown at work in class are Jerry Lynn Buttrill, Glen Ray Devin, Bill Dorsey, Kerry Knorpp, Marita Gill, Jim Cook, Lavonne Patterson, Louis Camp, Neal Lemons and Joel Reese.

Pat's Patter

Remain Alert While Driving

Interscholastic League competition is very important to the students at CHS. Entries in literary events, sports, and other events, such as typing and shorthand, have been officially recognized. Best of luck to all our teams.

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Mr. Demus was surprised when he counted an extra head on the bus before the band left for Hereford. The extra head belonged to a bewildered little dog that did not like the idea of traveling in a school bus.

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Congratulations, Jeanne Wheeler and Carole Jones, for making First Division ratings in the vocal solo contest at West Texas. CHS can also be proud of the choir and its fine work under the direction of Mr. Gene Murray.

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A set of tire tracks now graces the front lawn and sidewalk of Canyon High. Remember, it pays to be alert while driving, especially when you are not on a road!

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The subject of alertness also reminds everyone of up-coming six weeks' tests. Good luck, everyone. Let's all do our best in the last six weeks of this school year.

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The Sons of Fire—high school combo composed of Mike Poole, John Wear, Don Guill, Phillip Waters, Garry Foster, Chuck Nester, Jimmy Killingsworth, Neal Lemons, Ronnie Harris, Richard Purcell—entertained at the Lions Club last week.

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You can't tell—maybe a fish goes home and lies about the size of the bait he stole.

Nuclear Energy Is Science Program

The American Chemical Society presented a program to the Science Club Thursday in the high school cafeteria. The program consisted of a talk on nuclear energy by Dr. Allie Bertorelli, and was followed by a question and answer period on nuclear energy and careers in science.

Dr. Bertorelli is a well qualified technical man from Borger and was accompanied by Mr. C. H. Mathis of the American Chemical Society.

The pubilc was invited, and refreshments were served after the meeting.

According to Mrs. Bill Lee, sponsor, "This was one of the 'programs' of the year."

Library Gets Books as Gift

The CHS library recently received a gift of 40 books from Miss Darthula Walker of Canyon.

Miss Walker, former head of the West Texas Geography Department gave books on nature, travel, and different countries.

When she retired, she found her own private library contained books that would be useful to our library, and she is generous enough to wish to share with our students.

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WT Students Help Teachers

Again we have a new group of student teachers from West Texas State College who began their work with the students and teachers in our school March 28. They will be here the remainder of the year.

In the English department the student teachers and cooperating teachers are Mrs. Dianna Cox for Mrs. Irene Beard, Miss Marty Hinson for Mrs. Lee Foster, Mr. Wayne Smith for Mrs. Cecil Simms, Mr. Ronnie Waide for Miss Mary Carter.

The social studies teachers, Mrs. Lillian Graham and Mrs. Audrey Sanders, have Mrs. Ruby Carver and Mr. Pat Stephens as student teachers.

In the science department Mr. Leon Manley is student teacher for Mrs. Bill Lee, and Mr. Donald Johnson is student teacher for Mr. Bill West.

Mr. David Gantz is working in the mathematics department with Mr. Ray Wells. Mrs. Floyd Loudene is working with Mrs. Betty Brown in the business department, and Mrs. Mary Jo Johnson is with Mrs. Clara B. Long in the homemaking department.

Last week cooperating teachers and student teachers met Tuesday after school with the committee from the Texas Education Agency which is conducting a study of the teacher education programs offered at West Texas State College. Dr. J. C. Flowers, president of Southwest State Teachers College, is chairman of the committee.

After the group was served refreshments, prepared by cafeteria workers of Canyon Elementary School, cooperating teachers discussed the program with part of the committee, while student teachers met with the other committee members.

Canyon VIP

BILLY TRIPLETT

Honoring the halls of CHS from his junior year, Billy Triplett, now a senior, has become well known among his fellow students and teachers.

Before Billy came here from Claude, he was class favorite his freshman year and vice president of his sophomore class.

As a junior here he played on the B-team football squad. Then his senior year he became class favorite, most versatile, personality king and all-district guard in football, winning the Fighting Heart award.

One of Billy's special likes is cars, especially Fords. He "guesses steaks are all right," but he really enjoys "plain juicy hamburgers." A favorite gripe of Billy's is a long telephone conversation;

Future plans of his now are to attend West Texas for a year, and he says then he will perhaps go to another college. He plans to major in art.

Billy resides at home, 604 Seventh Avenue, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Triplett, and three brothers, Charles, Don, and Dicky.

Day for 'All Fools' Comes Once Again

It is said that fools also have a day of their own—April 1, All Fools' Day.

Lost in the mists of antiquity is the origin of All Fools' Day. There are enough theories, however. Although none agrees with the others, they all leave one impression. This impression has something to do with the observance of the spring equinox.

In India, the Feast of Huli, which occurs on March 31, has been celebrated for numerous centuries by sending people on foolish errands. Another theory is that the custom is a relic of the Roman Cerelia, held at the beginning of April.

According to the legend, Pluto, god of the lower world, found Persephone with her lap filled with daffodils in the Elysian meadows. Pluto carried her screaming to the lower world. Her mother, Ceres, heard the echo of her cry and went in search of Persephone, but the search was like a fool's errand, for it was impossible to find the echo.

April fooling became common in France after the adoption of the reformed calendar by Charles IX in 1564. It had been common previously for people to send gifts and make exchange calls; therefore, after the calendar change wags sent fake gifts and made pretended calls of ceremony. The people fooled in France are now called "poisson d'avril," an April fish.

At the beginning of the 18th century, April fooling became common in England. In Scotland the April fools are called April gowks, the gowk being a cuckoo. The early American settlers brought the custom of April fooling with them.

It has been common in cities, where there is a zoo or aquarium, for a man to tell another in his office to call up a certain number, giving him the number of the zoo or aquarium, as "Mr. Camel" or "Mr. Fish" wished to speak to him. This has been so annoying to the Aquarium and Zoological Garden in New York that every April 1 they have their telephones disconnected.

In towns lacking such natural history collections the butcher's telephone number is given to the victim, and he is told that Mr. Lamb has a message for him.

In America this custom is mostly enjoyed by young boys. Their small ingenious minds can think of such things as chocolate covered cotton balls, pennants pinned on their companions saying, "Kick me," and the substitution of salt for sugar.

To more mature people these pranks can be amusing or annoying; however, in any case all April fool pranks should not be destructive. Therefore, we can all enjoy April Fools' Day by using only harmless and amusing varieties of jokes.

Tryouts April 11 For Cheerleaders

Cheerleader tryouts for the term of 1960-61 will be held April 11.

Those who serve as junior cheerleaders automatically serve as senoir cheerleaders. All others are chosen each year by the students.

Those wishing to try out signed a sheet posted on the bulletin board in the main hall. There will be one freshman, one sophomore, two juniors and one senior chosen this year. Kay Boydstun, junior cheerleader this year, will serve next year; however, someone must be chosen to take the place of Sally Jennings, who will finish high school this summer.

Carol Brown, Janis Miller, and Linda Huyck, now in Junior High School, are trying for the freshman cheerleader position.

Patsy Robinson, Judy Bourland, and Gloria Buchanan are the sophomore hopefuls.

Trying for the junior cheerleaders are Janie Jarrett, Judy Roberts, Barbara Banks, Kathy Hinger, Vicki Weaver, Marion Henson, Kay Jarnagin, and Stephen Greiner.

Lavonne Patterson, Sheri Cori, Judy Wilson and Betty Gouge are the students trying for the senior cheerleader place.

Every afternoon after school these cheerleader aspirants practice with the cheerleaders of this year in order to learn the yells and styles of leading.

Canyon Students Take Merit Tests

Twenty-six Canyon High School students took the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test on Saturday, March 19. The students met with Mr. J. E. Miller, CHS principal, in the cafeteria at 9 a.m.

Students who took the tests are Bill Callarman, Peggy Sue Hales, Lois Harlan, Elmer Oberst, Lynda Redman, Tim White, Clark de Schweinitz, Deanna Stocker, Phil Pennington, Virginia Crounse, Weston Moore, Jo Ann Thompson, Larry Holman, Bill Phillips, Eugene Howard, Robert Ray Henry, Jim Harding, Mike Moore, Tom Stone, Kay Boydstun, Sheri Cory, Phillip Waters, Jacquita Barnard, Kerry Knorpp and Jimmy Killingsworth.

The three-hour test consisted of subjects on English usage, mathematics, social studies reading, natural sciences reading, and word usage.

Each student paid a fee of $1 before taking the test.

Assembly Shows 'Bazaar in India'

Mr. W. S. Willett, who spent six years in India on the construction of a gigantic steel mill which employed about 86,000 natives, featured his "A Bazaar in India" in an assembly program for CHS on March 25.

Judy Taylor assisted Mr. Willett during his explanation of the many items which he had displayed on a long table on the stage. Judy was dressed as a typical princess in India.

Mr. Willett stated that India is a land of caste, social society, and contrast. There are about 400 million people, or 2½ times the population of the United States.

He gave many facts concerning the native animals of the country. The water buffalo, tiger, leopard, hyena and jackal are a few examples. He stated that the animals corral themselves at night for protection. There are 64 species of snakes, 29 poisonous, with about 5,000 snakes to every square mile. Three of the most dangerous are the cobra, krait and russeo viper. Every year a good sized city is wiped out by the snakes and wild animals, or about 29,000 people.

Another pest is the traveler ants. Swarms of these ants can completely demolish a village, and they can devour a 3,000 pound elephant in a day, he stated.

Mr. Willett said that the curse of India is the opium pipe.

The men wear the more gaudy materials, and the women wear the plain solids. The typical woman's dress is made of a piece of material seven yards long and one yard wide. He stated that many Indian people have money made into jewelry.

At the close of the assembly Mr. Willett gave the student body some words of advice. He said that each student should try to live a good and thrifty life, and he could do this by connecting himself with a church.

March Failing List Shows Study Need

With 36 remaining school days for this year, as of April 6, there are 91 students on the March 18 failing list. This is approximately 25 percent of the enrollment. This would indicate the need for increased effort and study for these students.

This seems rather a harsh fact. However, when we examine it more carefully, we may find some things to lighten this oppressive situation.

One thing is that many on this list are only on there temporarily. With the realization that they are not doing satisfactory work, some students will "dig in" and pull themselves up.

One teacher reports that at least half of those listed as not passing in her subject are only slightly below the passing mark of C minus, that they have been improving their standing and that by the end of the current six weeks they should be passing, if they continue to work as they are now.

Another fact that tends to brighten the picture is that at the end of the first semester there were 110 students listed on the honor roll, and there should be, at least, the same at the end of this semester.

This school year is gradually coming to a close, and yet this fact seems to have no meaning to some of the students, who apparently couldn't care less about their work.

There is still time enough for these students to try to bring their grades up to the passing level. It's hard enough to take a failed course over but harder still to take the whole year over because of laziness or negligence in studying.

Students need to realize the importance of a good scholastic average in order for them to secure a job of their preference. A well-educated majority of American youth is important to our nation in its race for superiority among other nations of the world.

If our nation is to be one of the leading ones, we need youth who look into the future and see what lies ahead of them. In order for a student to look into the future with perception, he must be aware of his need for a basic knowledge in many subjects.

This basic knowledge can only be attained through many hours of hard study at home and school. Education should be one of the most important things to a young person; therefore, that is the reason it's so important for a student to do his best in school in every on eof his courses.

Club Receives Addresses Of Foreign Pen Pals

Members of the Foreign Language Club received the addresses of pen pals from foreign countries at a club meeting held Thursday night, March 31, in the homemaking living room.

The pen pals' names were ordered by the sponsor, Mrs. A. K. Knott, approximately four weeks ago from the Student Letter Exchange Bureau as a project of the club. Countries from which the names were ordered are Newfoundland, France, Spain, Mexico, and South America.

A film about France and a discussion on several French paintings given by Joy Harter, also highlighted the meeting. As a special treat, several French records were played.

Webb Begins Coaching, Teaching Duties at CHS

The new coach, Mr. E. J. Webb, from Borger, is now in Canyon High. He is taking the place of Mr. Bill Davis, former coach.

Mr. Webb will not only coach but will also teach the American history class and keep the study halls which are now under the direction of Mrs. John Davis, who was added to our faculty when Mr. Bill Davis went to Lamesa.

Choir Contest Held Wednesday

After weeks of preparations and work, the CHS choir, directed by Mr. Gene Murray, achieved second division rating in concert and a first division in sight reading in Interscholastic League competition last Wednesday.

The group sang "Ave Maria," "Thy Word Is A Lantern" and "Lament of the Enchantress."

The choir spent Thursday afternoon observing other choirs in the Fine Arts Building auditorium.

Carole Jones and Jeanne Wheeler were both given first division ratings the Saturday before in the solo section. Carole sang "Ich Liebe Dich" or translated from German, "I Love Thee." "Alleluia" was Jeanne's solo.

Waters to Head SFC Next Year

Phillip Waters and Mike Moore, juniors, were recently elected president and vice president of the Student - Faculty Congress. They will serve in these offices next year.

The annual campaign assembly was held March 21 in the auditorium. Campaign managers and their candidates spoke separately on the abilities and qualities of good officers.

Running for vice president were Mike Moore, Ronnie Harris and Kerry Knorpp. Their managers were Doug Bond, Judy Roberts and Joe Triplett.

Candidates for president were Ralph Cabe, Dorothy Higdon, Jimmy Killingsworth and Phillip Waters. Their managers were Terry Funk, Sarah Ragle, Kerry Knorpp and Eddie Cunningham.

One-Act Play Given

A group of CHS students presented Act Two, scenes seven and eight, from the play, "The Glass Menagerie," by Tennessee Williams for the annual Interscholastic League one-act play contest at the Fine Arts Building of West Texas State on Monday, April 4. At press time results of the contest were not available.

The parts were played by Carole Jones as Amanda Wingfield; Judy Wheeler, Laura Wingfield; Ted Abbott, Tom Wingfield; and Bill Cornette as Jim, the Gentleman Caller.

Assisting behind the scenes were Joel Reese, working with the spotlight; Judy K. Wilson, providing music; Louis Camp, in charge of the curtain and stage lights; Peggy Sue Hales, props; and Stephanie Conboye, make-up. The stage personnel were Joe Triplett, Robert Ray Henry, and Robert Irvin.

Band Rated in Division II

The Canyon High School Band was awarded a Division II rating in a preliminary contest held in Hereford last Monday. No rating higher than division II was given.

Mr. Killion of Texas Tech led the band in a clinic following the contest. Mrs. L. H. Brotherton and Mrs. G. D. Moore accompanied the group, along with its director, Mr. Herman Demus.

Senior Essay Wins Honorable Mention

Robert Blythe, senior, won an honorable mention in the 1960 State Essay Contest with his essay "Passport to Dignity." Robert's essay was judged in the top 10. His paper discussed the employment of the handicapped.

He will be presented with a certificate of merit from the President's Committee of Employment of the Physically Handicapped.

Mrs. Cecil Simms, senior English teacher, gave Robert critical advice, but she emphasized that the essay is entirely original.

Break-in Results In Damaged Safe

On March 17 the office of the superintendent was broken into by three WTSC freshmen. Approximately $50 was taken from the safe, which was damaged so severely that a new door is needed. Only recently a new handle was acquired for the safe. The old handle was broken off in a previous break-in.

The three boys have signed statements admitting this burglary plus five other break-ins.

Also broken into on the same night was the office of the Junior High School. The top drawer of a filing cabinet, which served as a safe, was severely damaged. The drawer, however, was not locked.

The boys also attempted to break into the safe in the office of Mr. J. E. Miller, high school principal. As the attempt proved unsuccessful, they left a note explaining that it was "too difficult."

Winn, Triplett Attend Personality Pageant

Marilyn Winn and Billy Triplett, Canyon High School Personality King and Queen, attended the West Texas Personality Pageant at that college April 1 and 2.

On April 1 a dance was held at 8 p.m. in the Student Union Building, and on April 2 a one-act play, "Coke" and tea party, and dinner in the Blue Room of the college cafeteria were attended.

A formal dance with the presentation of the West Texas personalities was held from 8 until 12 p.m. in the college cafeteria.

Other high schools and colleges sending their personality representatives were Borger, Hartley, Hereford, Lefors, Lockney, Phillips, Plainview, Shamrock, Pampa, Hale Center, Groom, Dalhart, Allison, and Amarillo High.

Library Delegates Report

Barbara Whiteley, Sarah Ragle, Clark de Schweinitz and Pat Haley gave reports on the state library convention they attended at Houston at the March 29 meeting of the Library Club.

Mrs. Nora Gilmore, sponsor, presented material on the cataloguing and classification of new books.

Clark de Schweinitz opened the meeting, and members answered roll call by giving some facts about a foreign country which interested them.

After a recreation period, directed by Sarah Ragle, refreshments were served.

Winds of the Texas Plains

by Walton Bagley

God made the plains of Texas flat
To stretch for miles from east to west,
God gave them grass to grow so that
Both man and beast could live the best.

He sent down rain to wash them clean.
In winter, He made it to snow,
To make the grass grow tall and green,
And then He made the rivers to flow.

God made the winds, we know not why;
They took the moisture from the earth.
He made a hot and clear blue sky
And then He gave the winds their birth.

The winds of Texas they do speed
From March to bleak September.
With them they bring the tumbleweed
And dust like a burning ember.

Upon this land of wind and drought
There was no water to be found.
But to this land man with him brought
A bladed wheel, large and round.

This blessed wheel is a great windmill
Which sits on a lofty tower.
Man placed one on every hill
To turn through every hour.

The windmill brings, from 'neath the ground,
Water to fill ponds with its flow;
Because of this, all men have found
God made the winds to blow.

But when the need for wind we doubt,
God sends a calm quiet day,
And insects feed and fly about
While the waters dry away.

So if the day is calm and stilled
Or stormy, rain or snow,
Remember your thirst for water is filled,
Because God made the winds to blow.

AROUND TOWN

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the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boyd. The Evans were moving from Austin to Dallas. Their four daughters had spent the week here with their grandparents while they moved.

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Dr. and Mrs. Lowell Smith and children of Lawton, Okla., spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Franklin, and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Smith.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Slay spent the weekend in Wellington with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Slay.

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Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Griffin were Charles Stubblefield and Tim Tierney, both national bank examiners currently working in Lubbock.

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Clark Jarnagin spent last week in Dallas at an insurance school.

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Mrs. Frank Burgin of Groom was a recent visitor in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. E. Gill.

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Mrs. David Chambers of Paris, Texas, returned to her home Tuesday after visiting with her aunt, Miss Moss Richardson, since last Thursday.

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Mrs. Don Patterson and Julia Lee of Dallas are spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McReynolds.

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Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Samples, Jr., and Pamela of El Tigre, Venezuela, arrived Tuesday to visit with his parents. Mr. Samples has been working in Buenos Aires, Argentina, for the past six weeks. Mrs. Samples and Pamela have been visiting her parents in La Junta, Colo.

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Visitors in the Arvin Triplett home this week have been Dale Dunn, Marvin Morgan, and Jean Weigman of Claude, who visited Saturday night; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stewart and Buddy, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lemons, Beverly and Gary of Dawn who visited Sunday afternoon; and Rowland Triplett of Claude, who was a dinner guest Sunday.

Ila McAfee Turner's Paintings Displayed

An exhibition of works by Ila McAfee Turner, famous Taos, N. M., artist, has been hung at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum.

The display consists of 37 paintings, primarily western landscapes and horses in oils. A portrait of Mrs. Turner's cat "Sanka," which can perform 75 tricks, is included.

The exhibit will be on display through May 20.

Mrs. Turner's best known subjects are animals, particularly horses. Her interest in horses goes back to her childhood on a Colorado ranch.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Slay won the door prizes. Bridge and "42" were played. Mrs. LaGrone followed a spring and Easter theme in decorations and refreshments.

Canyon Jaycees and their wives were invited.

Palo Duro Mother-in-Law

The Palo Duro Mother-in-Law Club will meet Friday at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Rae Walters.

Good Neighbors Have No Fences

Good fences may make good neighbors, but a helping hand makes better neighbors.

That theory was tested Monday when nine neighbors of the O. O. Henry family donated a day of plowing on the Henry land. Mr. Henry recently suffered a heart attack.

Farmers sending tractors were Dick and Jack Ratjen, Everett Culp, R. B. Gist, Jr., C. T. Henry, Lewis Walberg, Clem Dugan, Tom Henry, Glenn Dowlen, and Cecil Henry. About 350 acres on two farms were plowed.

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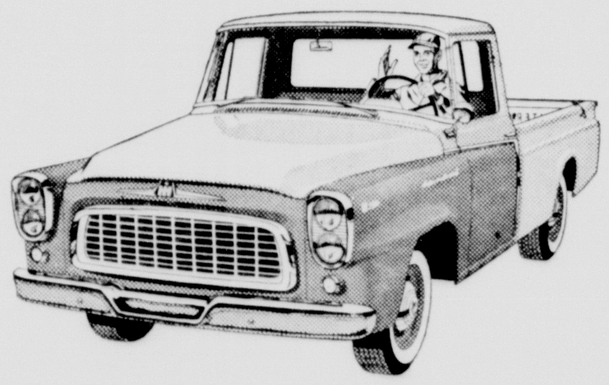

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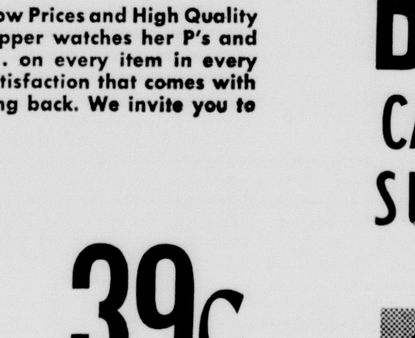

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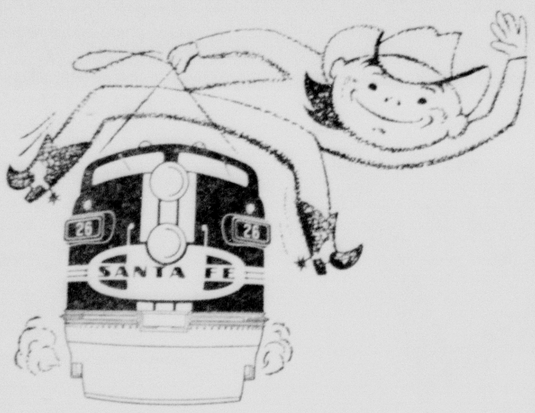

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Pledging Sigma Theta Tau were Marcia Nan Barker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barker; Virginia Ann Jarrett, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Jarrett, and Barbara Ann Lindsey, daughter of Lt. Col. Edward L. Lindsey.

Miss Barker, a freshman business major on Trinity Hill, was a member of the National Honor Society, Junior Who's Who, Future Teachers of America, Future Homemakers of America, and the Science Club at Canyon High School.

A freshman math major at the San Antonio university, Miss Jarrett received the homemaking award and the math award at Canyon High School. She was also a member of the band, National Honor Society, and Future Homemakers of America. Miss Jarrett reigned as band queen and charm queen.

Majoring in English at Trinity University, Miss Lindsey received the best actor award in the 1959 senior play at Canyon High School. She was a member of the National Honor Society, Spanish Club, and Science Club.

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The Commissioners Court of Randall County authorizes the advertisement of bids for paper, printing, and supplies necessary to compile the 1960 tax roll. Requirements consist of the following:

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The four-cent, three-color postage stamp in the commemorative series goes on sale in Washington, D. C., April 18 at the Seventh National Watershed Congress.

The stamp will go on sale in local post offices April 19, the day following its issuance at Washington.

Spencer pointed out that the Washington, D.C., postmaster upon request and receipt of properly addressed envelopes and a money order or certified check to cover cost of the stamps, will place the new water conservation stamp on the envelopes, cancel with a special cancellation mark used only on that day and at that place, and mail the envelopes on the first day of issue.

Various companies print envelopes for this particular use, but plain envelopes also may be used.

Spencer emphasized that these instructions should be followed carefully:

1. Address the envelopes (as many as you wish) plainly and in the lower righthand quarter of the envelope to leave ample room for the stamp and the special cancellation device that will be used at Washington, D. C.

2. Place in the envelope a close fitting closure of about postal card thickness (it may be an actual letter or a conservation message, of course) and seal or turn the flap inside the envelope. Collectors prefer the letter so the envelope isn't damaged in opening.

3. Enclose the addressed envelopes in a large envelope or package addressed to the Postmaster, Washington 13, D. C. Enclose a money order or certified check in the exact amount to cover the number of four cent stamps required. Write "First-day covers, water conservation postage stamp, April 18, 1960" on the outside of the shipping envelope or package.

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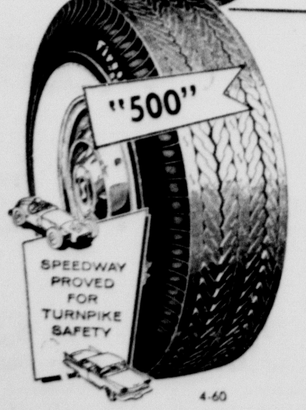

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Plains Butane was honored for its outstanding safety record during 1959. The competitive awards are presented annually by the Texas Safety Association to business firms, government agencies, and individuals for exemplary safe driving records.

Hickman, Frank On Catholic Council

Four members of St. Ann's Catholic Church attended the meeting of the Plainview Deanery Council of Catholic Women at a meeting in Hereford March 28.

Mrs. J. B. Hickman was elected second vice president, and Mrs. Joe Frank was elected treasurer. Mrs. Bill Patke attended the meeting with Mrs. Hickman and Mrs. Frank.

Father James Comiskey was moderator of a workshop on family life. Mrs. Jack Brandt of Umbarger was leader of the workshop.

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We see it in the garden, where sturdy tulip bulbs thrust their strong green leaves through the earth toward the sun. We see it on Sunday morning when gay feminine hats and frocks replace the solemn browns and blacks.

And sound joins sight to respond to the call of bright-feathered birds. The hammering on a new house frame, the shouts from the sandlot baseball team proclaim the season, too; as do the organ grinder's tune, the hum of the lawnmower, the slap-slap of the painter's brush.

Smell spring? That we can! From the heavy fragrance of the hyacinth that blooms in the yard to the newly turned soil in the fields as we drive along the road. Spring announces itself to us first through the quickened sense of smell.

Tasting: There the chemistry of spring works the greatest change. Our food desires turn suddenly from winter fare — roast beef and pastries — to the pastel preference for ices, salads, chives and mint. And that perennial favorite among Americans, freshly brewed coffee served steaming hot, gives way to the lighter, milder glass of tea.

Touch it? Indeed we do. Each time we step outside, the gentle pressure of a footstep on moist earth seems to bring an answering pressure upward from the awakening roots. We feel the touch of spring in the soft air, too; warm with an undertone of coolness far into the day. It has been a long, long winter. Welcome, spring!

Mrs. Barker Hosts Variety Ring Club

The Variety Ring Club met with Mrs. George Barker on April 1. After the business session, Mrs. Barker took the group to the Palo Duro Club where they toured the club grounds.

After returning to the Barker home, the group was served refreshments of ice cream, cake, and punch.

Those attending were Mrs. P. L. Pitt, Mrs. Rae Walters, Mrs. Mae Johnson, Mrs. Leonard Winters, Mrs. George Cox, Mrs. K. E. Hines, Mrs. Earl Burtz, Mrs. Win R. Matsler, Mrs. J. P. Hammons, Mrs. Levi Cole, Mrs. Jeannette Robbins, and Miss Joyce Barker.

News Want Ads Get Results!

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harbin of Canyon are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Candy Throckmorton, to Max P. Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman of Umbarger. Vows will be exchanged May 27 in St. Ann's Catholic Church in Canyon.

Fairview Breezes

By MRS. J. W. WESLEY

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shipman and Mrs. G. E. Wesley were in Amarillo Tuesday.

Arlen Wesley and son, Kyle, visited his grandparents, the J. W. Wesleys, Wednesday.

We have received word of the tragic death of Mrs. J. C. Amerson of Eloy, Ariz. She was killed in a two-car accident, and her husband was seriously injured. Three other persons died in the wreck. Mr. Amerson grew up in the Salem community. His father, F. O. Amerson, and his sisters, Mrs. Coye Elkins and Mrs. Dean Cagle, and his brother, Darnell of Tulia, attended the funeral Thursday.

Virgia Liston left for Oklahoma Monday to be with a brother who had suffered a stroke recently.

Those attending the stock sale in Tulia Friday were J. W. Wesley, Woodrow Wesley, and Bobby Bord.

Arthur Patterson of Amarillo visited Saturday night and Sunday with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson.

Brother and Mrs. Charles Pierce were with us Sunday morning but returned to Canyon after the morning service as his parents were visiting them from O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Whitson attended a bowlers' instruction school in Dallas recently.

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Coronado Discussed At Sue Hite Club

Mrs. T. V. Crounse reviewed a book on Coronado at the meeting of the Sue Hite Club March 28. The book placed Canyon and the Palo Duro as focal points in the route of Coronado through this section.

"Key to Adventure" was the topic for the day. Mrs. Lorenzo Wirt gave the invocation. Mrs. W. F. Haggard presented Sally Swatzell to the group. Sally won the second place cup from the Federated Clubs of this district for the essay, "Why I'm Glad I'm An American." Mrs. Haggard told Sally that the cup would always remind her of her American heritage.

Special guest for the day was Mrs. Phil Swatzell, mother of Sally.

Hostesses were Mrs. W. A. Moore and Mrs. Mitchell Jones.

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Umbarger News

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Artho and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Brockman and family of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. George Brockman were visitors in the Harvey Artho home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Hadashell and family of Hedley were visitors in the Ray Gerber home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewie Raef and family visited in the M. J. Gerber home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Artho and family of Dimmitt were visitors in the Paul Artho home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Artho and family were visitors in the John Irlbeck home in Canyon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lindeman and family were Sunday visitors in the Lewie Wieck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frank and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Eavers and family were visitors in the Joe Wieck home Sunday.

Exchanging visits Sunday were Mike Wieck with Phillip Brandt; Cheryl and Bonny Davis with Marilyn and Carolyn Wieck; Mike Raef with Joe Fischbacher; Dorothy Wieck with Barbara Liekhus, and Frankie Friemel with Jimmy Wieck.

District President Visits Wellington Auxiliary

Mrs. Mary Stephens, district president, and Allie Mae Clark district secretary, visited the Wellington VFW Auxiliary recently.

Mrs. Stephens spoke to the auxiliary on the importance of attending district meetings and encouraged the group to work on membership. There were 10 members present.

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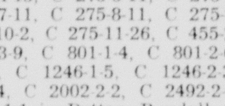

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